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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W. Room TW-A325 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: **EX PARTE NOTICE** WT Docket 04-434

Dear Ms. Dortch:

At the request of Commission staff, representatives of T-Mobile USA, Inc. ("T-Mobile") met Wednesday, January 19, 2005 with members of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau and the Office of General Counsel to respond to questions concerning documents ("Documents") filed by T-Mobile with the Department of Justice ("DOJ") pursuant to Civil Investigative Demand served on it in connection with the DOJ reviews of the Verizon Wireless/NextWave Telecom Inc. transaction and the Cingular Wireless/AT&T Wireless transaction. At the Commission's request, T-Mobile earlier filed a letter with DOJ granting a limited waiver of its statutory right to confidential treatment of the Documents to allow Commission staff review. During the meeting T-Mobile representatives responded solely to staff questions about the Documents.

Participating on behalf of T-Mobile were Thomas Sugrue, Vice President of Government Affairs; Neville Ray, Vice President-Engineering; Mark Nelson, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP; and the undersigned. A list of the Commission staff participants is attached.

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In a separate meeting on an unrelated topic with Bryan Tramont, Chief of Staff to Chairman Michael Powell, Mr. Sugrue was asked to briefly summarize the information that T-Mobile provided at the staff meeting regarding the Documents, which he did.

In accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter and attachment are filed with your office for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding. If you have any questions regarding this *ex parte* notice, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

/s/ Cheryl A. Tritt Cheryl A. Tritt Counsel to T-Mobile USA, Inc.

cc: See attached list Bryan Tramont Tom Sugrue Neville Ray Mark Nelson

# **Attachment**

# Commission Staff Participants:

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